

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-15 (Canceled).

Claim 16 (New): A portable apparatus comprising:

an LED display panel which is arranged in a display window formed on a surface of a casing accommodating electronic components and which has a plurality of light-emitting diodes (LEDs) outwardly projecting light and matrix-arranged in a plane;

a display control unit controlling display of said plurality of light-emitting diodes of said LED display panel on the basis of input display data;

a main control unit outputting said display data displayed on said LED display panel to said display control unit; and

a battery supplying power to said LED display panel, the display control unit and the main control unit.

Claim 17 (New): A portable apparatus comprising:

a hinge coupling an end of an operation-side casing having an operation part and an end of a display-side casing having a main display part with each other for pivotable movement thereof,

an LED display panel which is arranged in a display window formed on a casing surface of said display-side casing other than a surface provided with the main display part and which has a plurality of light-emitting diodes (LEDs) outwardly projecting light and matrix-arranged in a plane;

a display control unit controlling display of said plurality of light-emitting diodes of said LED display panel on the basis of input display data;

a main control unit outputting said display data displayed on said LED display panel to said display control unit; and

a battery supplying power to said LED display panel, the display control unit and the main control unit.

Claim 18 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, wherein the battery is provided in the operation-side casing.

Claim 19 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, wherein, at a normal time, the main display part is provided on a surface of said display-side casing facing said operation-side casing when the operation-side casing and the display-side casing are in their closed position and the LED display panel is provided on a surface of said display-side casing opposed to the surface provided with the main display part, while said display-side casing is configured to be rotatable by at least 180° about a direction perpendicular to the core of a hinge axis.

Claim 20 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 16, having a camera imaging an object and an operation part photographically operating said camera, wherein the LED display panel is so arranged that said plurality of light-emitting diodes project light in a direction to which said camera is directed in operation of said camera and the display control unit controls lighting of said plurality of light-emitting diodes in association with a photographic operation of said camera.

Claim 21 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, having a camera imaging an object and an operation part photographically operating said camera, wherein the

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controls lighting of said plurality of light-emitting diodes in association with a photographic operation of said camera.

Claim 22 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 20, wherein the display control unit controls lighting of a previously set number of the light-emitting diodes.

Claim 23 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 21, wherein the display control unit controls lighting of a previously set number of the light-emitting diodes.

Claim 24 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 20, having a photosensor sensing ambient brightness, wherein the display control unit controls lighting of the light-emitting diodes of a number corresponding to brightness sensed by said photosensor.

Claim 25 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 21, having a photosensor sensing ambient brightness, wherein the display control unit controls lighting of the light-emitting diodes of a number corresponding to brightness sensed by said photosensor.

Claim 26 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 16, wherein the LED display panel is detachably arranged in the display window.

Claim 27 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, wherein the LED display panel is detachably arranged in the display window.

Claim 28 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, having an operation key operable in a state that the operation-side casing and the display-side casing are in their closed position,

wherein the main control unit switches display contents of the LED display panel by operation of said key.

Claim 29 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 16, wherein the LED display panel has a lattice plate having a plurality of latticelike holes formed on said plurality of light-emitting diodes arranged in a matrix in coincidence with the arrangement of said plurality of light-emitting diodes, and said plurality of light-emitting diodes outwardly project light through the holes of said lattice plate.

Claim 30 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, wherein the LED display panel has a lattice plate having a plurality of latticelike holes formed on said plurality of light-emitting diodes arranged in a matrix in coincidence with the arrangement of said plurality of light-emitting diodes, and said plurality of light-emitting diodes outwardly project light through the holes of said lattice plate.

Claim 31 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 29, wherein the LED display panel has a diffusion sheet diffusing light on the lattice plate, and said plurality of light-emitting diodes outwardly project light through the holes of said lattice plate and the diffusion sheet.

Claim 32 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 30, wherein the LED display panel has a diffusion sheet diffusing light on the lattice plate, and said plurality of light-emitting diodes outwardly project light through the holes of said lattice plate and the diffusion sheet.

Claim 33 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 16, having a speaker generating a warning sound by operation, wherein the display control unit controls display of said plurality of light-emitting diodes of the LED display panel in association with said operation.

Claim 34 (New): The portable apparatus according to claim 17, having a speaker generating a warning sound by operation, wherein the display control unit controls display of said plurality of light-emitting diodes of the LED display panel in association with said operation.